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MRS. KIM CHONG-RYI

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LICHTBLAU TELECON JANUARY 29

1. ACCORDING TO NEWS REPORTS MRS. YI TAE YUNG WAS PICKED UP BY SEOUL CITY POLICY ON JANUARY 23 AFTER MEETING OF NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR RESTORATION OF DEMOCRACY (NCRD) SECRETARIAT AT MYUNGDONG CATHOLIC COMMUNITY HOUSE, TAKEN TO CHUNGBU POLICE STATION, INTERROGATED FOR FORTY MINUTES AND RELEASED.

2. MRS KIM CHONG RYI (SEE REFTELS) WAS PICKED UP BY KCIA ON JANUARY 15, INTERROGATED, AND THEN TURNED OVER TO SEOUL POLICE FOR BOOKING AND TRIAL.

3. LAWYER YI PYONG-NIN OF NCRD PICKED UP JANUARY 17 AND CHARGED WITH ADULTERY, STILL BEING HELD. VIRTUALLY ALL KOREAN OBSERVERS REGARD CHARGE, WHETHER TRUE OR NOT, AS DESIGNED AS RETALIATION FOR YI'S NCRD ACTIVITY.

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